

Scout Movement Promises Rapid Growth For 1922



SCOUT RECEIVING SPECIAL INSTRUCTION IN SIGNALLING.



EACH SCOUT LEARNS TO BE HIS OWN MESS SERGEANT.

Although the requirements for entrance into scouting are not strict, the scout does not stand still by any means, he moves constantly forward. It takes three years of hard work for a scout to reach the highest rank in scouting, which is the eagle scout. Since scouting is only a year old in South Bend, no scout has reached that rank, but the rank of life and star scout will be awarded to Phil Pretz at the next meeting of the court of honor, giving Phil the highest position in South Bend.

Entrance requirements, although not difficult, are by no means simple. For instance the scout must know the composition and history of the American flag and all the customary forms of respect. Do you know where the American flag is flown day and night and year in and year out? Ask any scout and he can tell you.

Unusual opportunities will be offered this summer for a scout who wishes to pass requirements. First of all there is the new scout reservation within hiking distance, four miles from the center of town, an hour's ride by canoe and which can be reached with five cents car fare from any part of the city. A man will be stationed at the reservation all this summer as caretaker and supervisor for the scouts. Scouts will also have an opportunity for making points by having their work and camp used as models for the scoutmasters who will take the special training course at the university of Notre Dame. The course at Notre Dame will include science, astronomy, scout craft under the instruction of executive Jo Taylor, the teaching of physical activities by Knute Rykne and group singing by Prof. Fletcher.

At Culver this summer the scouts will share six days of instruction in woodcraft with the boys of the Culver Woodcraft school, through the courtesy of the faculty. The head instructor, Col. Gignilliat, is well prepared to teach scouting as he is head of the American Legion in Indiana and was selected generalissimo in charge of 300 boy scouts who made the trip to London last August to the International scout jamboree. The scout camp at Culver will be conducted far below the cost of the average boys' camp which is usually \$2 a day; the scout camp will be approximately 50 cents a day. The price is able to be fixed so moderately because the cost of the equipment including the canoe, ponchos, mess kits and supply wagons will be covered by the funds at the headquarters. The total cost of the 12 to 14 days' outing for the scouts will be \$7.50. Many volunteers have been made by scoutmasters and supervisors for the trip but the scout council will absorb any deficit which may be incurred. About 200 scouts out of the 304 entered in the physical examinations have signed up for the camp.

Final physical examinations were held Friday evening at headquarters by 11 physicians and six dentists who volunteered their services. A statement was made by Dr. Lent that the boys were "a bunch of unusual fitness and the percentage of high physical standing was much higher than in the army." But notwithstanding this fact several abnormalities were found.

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WEEKLY BULLETIN FOR APRIL 2, 1921.

Wyman Cup Race Standing. Same as last week as no scriber's report was required on account of physical examination. Include in next report the number taking examination.

Monday—Troop No. 17 serves at Chamber of Commerce luncheon. First aid at headquarters, 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday—Swimming at Y. M. C. A. Two scouts from Troop No. 18 will be guests of the Rotary club.

Thursday—Scoutmaster's round table, 7:30 o'clock, headquarters. Good program, plenty of fun, and refreshments.

Saturday—Test hike on North Michigan st., 1:30 o'clock. The last chance for this Court of Honor.

Next Court of Honor, April 15. Date on last bulletin incorrect. Applications will not be accepted later than 5 p. m., April 9.

Scout field day, May 21.

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A DIFFERENT BROWNIE RHYME EACH DAY.

To ignore constipation doesn't help. Get some Little Brownie Pills—don't delay.

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The Boys' and Girls' Daily Messenger

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Y'ET MOTHER LIKES BOY WHO IS "HANDY MAN AROUND HOUSE"

[Handicraft for Boys]

If there is anything mother appreciates, it certainly is a son who is a "handy man around the house." Somebody who always has a big ball of string ready when she wants to tie up a package, or somebody to get the cork out of the vinegar bottle, when it has been pushed in—that's what she wants.

Maybe there is a spot of candle tallow or grease on the rug in the kitchen. To take it out place a new, clean blotter over the spot and set a hot iron on the blotter for a minute or two. The blotter will absorb the melted grease, and the spot will disappear.

Five or six coffee seeds—whole, not ground—placed in the salt shaker will help keep the salt from getting hard so it cannot be shaken out.

It is an easy matter to keep your work tools—saws, chisels, hammer, etc.—from getting rusty. All you need to do when you are finished using them, is rub each one over with a rag dipped in linseed oil. Allow the oil to dry in a film.

To get a cork out of a bottle when it has been pushed down inside, tie a half dozen or so knots in the end of a piece of string to form a cluster. Drop the string through the neck of the bottle. Turn the bottle upside down so the cork slides to the neck, and then pull the string. The cluster of knots seldom fails to pull the cork out.

If you are not already in the habit of doing so, start saving every bit of string you get hold of. String is always handy. Wind the pieces on a stick of wood, a corn cob, a large spool, or most anything such as that, and put it some place where it will not be hard to find. A drawer in the kitchen cabinet is a good place.

A nail is not a very good substitute for a clothes hook. But a nail with a thread spool slipped over it is not so bad.

Have you any good "handy man" suggestions? Send them to the editor today.

(Tomorrow: How to preserve spring wild flowers so they'll last for years and years.)



TODAY'S GREAT PERSON

April 1—Your Birthday? George Barr Baker, a publisher, now vice-president of the Colman Publishing Company. He was born in Wyandotte, Mich., Friday, April 1, 1870. He became a reporter for the "Detroit Times," and later was editor of the Delineator magazine. He is now living in New York City.

NUTS TO CRACK

We travel much, yet prisoners we are. And close confined to boot. We with the swiftest horse keep pace, Yet always go on foot.—What are we?

(Answer to yesterday's: "When does a boy's hair resemble a packing box?"—When it stands on end.)

Why "April Fools' Day?"

No one has yet set up a good, sound reason why today, April 1st, should be set aside especially for the jokers and fools. The custom of making this day the time to play tricks and have a good time is on old one. Some say it was handed down from the French, who, when in 1564 they changed their New Year's Day to January 1st, thought there should be some kind of a "memorial celebration" on the old New Year's Day, April 1st.

"April Fools' Day" is common in many foreign countries. In Scotland the butt of a joke is called a "gowk," and in France they say he is an "April-fish."

We will accept either here or the newspapers will accept direct such reports.

The following troops are to report next Wednesday for physical exams: No. 14, No. 15, No. 16, No. 18, No. 21, No. 23, No. 24, and Mishawaka No. 1.

The third session of the patrol leaders meeting will be Wednesday evening also; patrol leaders in troops here for examination will be examined first, and then sent to the patrol leaders meeting.

Culver maneuver—Go into camp

SECRET CLAN HELPS STOP EXAM CHEATING

Students at the University of Chicago have adopted a brand new way of catching all those who cheat, or "crib" in examinations. A secret clan has been organized—the teachers are "for" it—and the members make it their business to catch and punish all the guilty.

You see, one does not know for sure whether or not the fellow across the aisle is a clansman, and the secrecy thus thrown about it all makes the scheme very effective.

DAILY HARDKNOT

A Bunch of Keys. Example: A Thanksgiving key. Answer: Turkey. 1—A meddlesome key. 2—A key that rides race horses. 3—A playful key.

DOLLAR IDEAS

Joe's Flower Box Business. Making window flower boxes is Joe Hamilton's pet pastime these days. And a profitable one, too, says Joe.

It was last spring that he first discovered window boxes—nice, well-built, green-painted ones—would look well in the windows of his own home. He made some. They took so well with his mother he wondered if other ladies would not like to have some for their windows, too.

So he went around and asked several of them. Result—two rush orders of three boxes each. This spring Joe is going into his little manufacturing business more extensively. Already he has obtained six orders for boxes—twenty boxes in all—and more are in sight. The proceeds from all these will pay at least a third of his expenses on the trip up the lake this summer.

A FAMILIAR QUOTATION

(Who said it?) Hold the fort! I'm coming! Yesterday: Oh, would I were a boy again. When I felt seemed formed of sun.

And all the heart then knew of pair Was kept away in transient tears —Mark Lemon, "Oh, Would I Were A Boy Again."

at Pottawatomie park, July 16, at 2 p. m.; special services at St. Joseph's church for Catholic scouts on Sunday; special services at River Park M. E. church or other nearby church for Protestant scouts, Sunday a. m.; dinner in camp at 12 o'clock; open house for visitors, 2 to 5:30 p. m.; special retreat and color ceremonies at 5:30; supper and early bed time in camp; up at 6 and breakfast at 7 o'clock; hit the road at Culver at 8 o'clock; return Friday, July 29. Total camp fee including \$1 registration, \$7.50. Get busy and earn your money.

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Suits for Women and Misses. Pretty high grade suits in Tricotine, Men's-Wear Serge and Poirer Twill. Braid and embroidery trimmed. In many beautiful styles. Chicken models. Blouse and flare models, and straight-line and tailored suits. Sale price \$35.00

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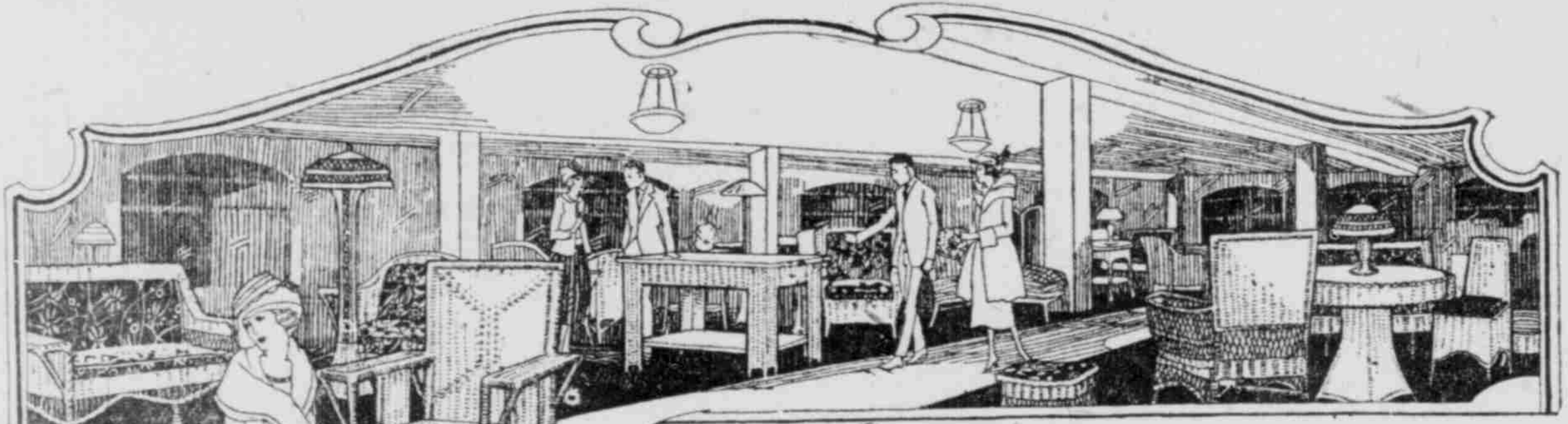
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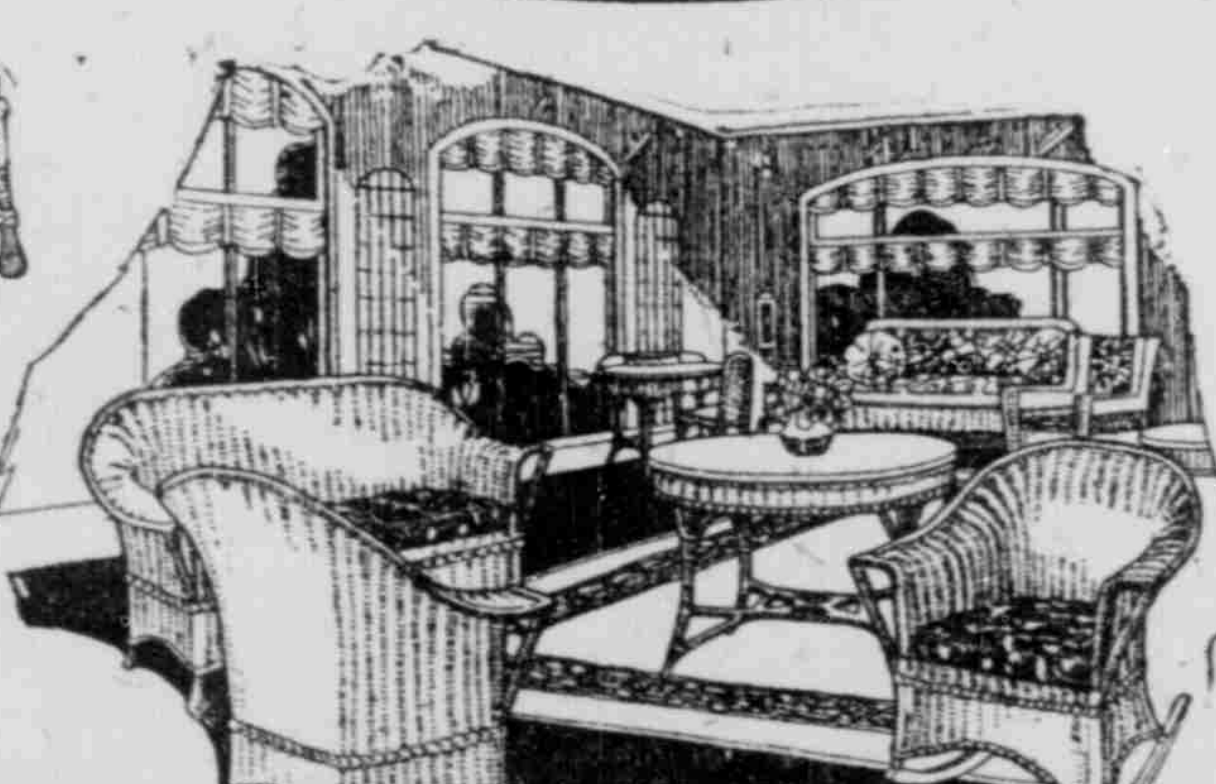
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